

Table I.A.1.a Percent of number of private-sector establishments by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2018

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	7,524,187	58.5%	11.4%	7.8%	6.7%	15.5%	74.5%	25.5%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	148,983	83.3%	8.6%	4.6%	1.8%	1.7% *	94.6%	5.4%
Mining and manufacturing	286,634	46.6%	17.8%	15.2%	9.7%	10.8%	73.4%	26.6%
Construction	605,163	77.0%	12.7%	7.0%	1.9%	1.4%	94.3%	5.7%
Utilities and transp.	228,758	51.3%	11.0%	7.5%	8.4%	21.8%	66.5%	33.5%
Wholesale trade	381,001	54.2%	12.8%	9.5%	8.9%	14.6%	72.4%	27.6%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	881,092	52.5%	5.1%	5.5%	10.1%	26.9%	59.9%	40.1%
Retail trade	1,053,424	49.1%	9.3%	6.7%	6.3%	28.5%	62.6%	37.4%
Professional services	1,884,820	61.2%	11.1%	6.8%	7.1%	13.8%	76.2%	23.8%
Other services	2,054,312	59.4%	14.3%	9.5%	6.0%	10.8%	79.6%	20.4%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	5,157,637	56.0%	11.5%	8.0%	6.1%	18.3%	72.3%	27.7%
For profit, unincorporated	1,744,458	68.8%	11.3%	6.5%	4.8%	8.7%	84.1%	15.9%
Nonprofit	622,092	50.0%	11.0%	9.8%	17.3%	11.9%	66.1%	33.9%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	1,380,041	83.7%	10.6%	3.9%	1.4%	0.3%	96.8%	3.2%
5-9 years	1,038,092	76.8%	13.5%	6.6%	2.3%	0.9%	94.5%	5.5%
10-19 years	1,607,564	71.1%	14.0%	8.6%	4.0%	2.2%	90.7%	9.3%
20 or more years	3,498,490	37.3%	10.0%	9.4%	11.4%	32.0%	52.4%	47.6%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	1,916,304	1.5%	3.7%	10.8%	23.2%	60.8%	9.8%	90.2%
1 location only	5,607,882	78.0%	14.1%	6.8%	1.1%	0.0%	96.6%	3.4%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	1,150,489	71.3%	12.3%	5.8%	3.3%	7.3%	87.5%	12.5%
25-49 %	551,074	42.8%	16.8%	13.0%	8.6%	18.8%	67.1%	32.9%
50-74 %	1,100,056	59.8%	11.5%	7.2%	6.3%	15.2%	75.6%	24.4%
75% or more	4,722,568	56.9%	10.6%	7.9%	7.5%	17.2%	72.0%	28.0%
Union presence								
No union employees	7,087,373	60.8%	11.9%	8.0%	6.7%	12.6%	77.4%	22.6%
Has union employees	436,814	20.9%	4.6%	4.9%	6.9%	62.7%	28.1%	71.9%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	1,850,742	56.1%	12.9%	8.3%	7.6%	15.2%	73.9%	26.1%
Less than 50% low-wage	5,673,445	59.3%	11.0%	7.7%	6.5%	15.6%	74.7%	25.3%
Percent women employees								
Less than 25%	2,544,481	71.2%	10.5%	7.2%	4.6%	6.5%	86.1%	13.9%
25-49 %	1,103,210	43.0%	13.6%	9.3%	8.4%	25.6%	61.9%	38.1%
50-74 %	1,896,179	49.1%	10.6%	8.2%	7.6%	24.5%	64.6%	35.4%
75% or more	1,980,317	59.8%	12.3%	7.4%	7.7%	12.9%	76.2%	23.8%
Percent age 50 or older employees								
Less than 25%	3,599,378	55.5%	13.9%	9.1%	7.3%	14.2%	75.0%	25.0%
25-49 %	1,658,216	36.6%	12.2%	9.6%	9.4%	32.2%	54.2%	45.8%
50-74 %	1,069,693	67.5%	9.6%	7.0%	6.2%	9.7%	80.8%	19.2%
75% or more	1,196,900	89.7%	4.5%	2.1%	2.0%	1.7%	95.6%	4.4%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2018 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table I.A.1.a Standard errors for percent of number of private-sector establishments by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2018

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	20,667	0.24%	0.22%	0.12%	0.08%	0.18%	0.18%	0.18%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	12,263	2.22%	1.81%	0.90%	0.46%	0.55% *	0.94%	0.94%
Mining and manufacturing	12,219	2.23%	1.37%	1.10%	0.74%	0.81%	1.40%	1.40%
Construction	21,140	1.15%	0.93%	0.51%	0.22%	0.19%	0.43%	0.43%
Utilities and transp.	12,810	2.76%	1.41%	0.93%	1.14%	1.81%	2.26%	2.26%
Wholesale trade	16,597	2.08%	1.19%	0.78%	0.81%	1.07%	1.52%	1.52%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	26,603	1.49%	0.57%	0.43%	0.61%	1.22%	1.38%	1.38%
Retail trade	28,408	1.37%	0.64%	0.43%	0.46%	1.13%	1.22%	1.22%
Professional services	32,900	0.79%	0.47%	0.28%	0.28%	0.52%	0.61%	0.61%
Other services	36,664	0.84%	0.55%	0.35%	0.29%	0.46%	0.58%	0.58%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	38,897	0.41%	0.27%	0.17%	0.14%	0.29%	0.32%	0.32%
For profit, unincorporated	34,109	0.83%	0.56%	0.32%	0.27%	0.50%	0.60%	0.60%
Nonprofit	18,731	1.51%	0.77%	0.58%	0.84%	0.76%	1.22%	1.22%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	32,966	0.72%	0.63%	0.26%	0.16%	0.08%	0.23%	0.23%
5-9 years	28,892	0.95%	0.78%	0.39%	0.26%	0.15%	0.38%	0.38%
10-19 years	32,580	0.78%	0.59%	0.36%	0.25%	0.20%	0.39%	0.39%
20 or more years	36,905	0.62%	0.31%	0.24%	0.21%	0.44%	0.52%	0.52%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	17,709	0.24%	0.31%	0.38%	0.35%	0.49%	0.43%	0.43%
1 location only	17,757	0.28%	0.27%	0.11%	0.04%	0.00%	0.08%	0.08%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	28,624	0.95%	0.66%	0.34%	0.28%	0.50%	0.61%	0.61%
25-49 %	18,159	1.74%	1.11%	0.83%	0.65%	1.20%	1.43%	1.43%
50-74 %	28,416	1.20%	0.66%	0.43%	0.41%	0.87%	0.98%	0.98%
75% or more	39,703	0.44%	0.29%	0.18%	0.15%	0.30%	0.34%	0.34%
Union presence								
No union employees	22,812	0.26%	0.23%	0.13%	0.08%	0.18%	0.19%	0.19%
Has union employees	17,171	2.00%	0.70%	0.63%	0.67%	1.98%	2.01%	2.01%
Percent low-wage employees								
50% or more low-wage	34,032	0.88%	0.53%	0.32%	0.32%	0.55%	0.67%	0.67%
Less than 50% low-wage	36,172	0.36%	0.26%	0.16%	0.12%	0.26%	0.28%	0.28%
Percent women employees								
Less than 25%	37,323	0.59%	0.41%	0.27%	0.21%	0.28%	0.39%	0.39%
25-49 %	25,380	1.23%	0.70%	0.44%	0.46%	0.91%	1.04%	1.04%
50-74 %	35,163	0.95%	0.50%	0.32%	0.31%	0.75%	0.82%	0.82%
75% or more	34,138	0.80%	0.50%	0.29%	0.30%	0.49%	0.60%	0.60%
Percent age 50 or older employees								
Less than 25%	40,672	0.58%	0.38%	0.23%	0.20%	0.38%	0.44%	0.44%
25-49 %	28,814	0.96%	0.51%	0.36%	0.36%	0.77%	0.85%	0.85%
50-74 %	28,096	1.06%	0.62%	0.42%	0.40%	0.60%	0.79%	0.79%
75% or more	31,091	0.59%	0.44%	0.21%	0.24%	0.21%	0.34%	0.34%

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